

## 12.7

## TRIPLE INTEGRALS IN SPHERICAL COORDINATES

**A** Click here for answers.

**1–3** ■ Change from spherical to rectangular coordinates.

1.  $(2, \pi/2, 3\pi/4)$                       2.  $(4, \pi/4, \pi/6)$

3.  $(2, \pi/4, \pi/4)$

**4–7** ■ Change from rectangular to spherical coordinates.

4.  $(-3, 0, 0)$                               5.  $(1, 1, \sqrt{2})$

6.  $(\sqrt{3}, 0, 1)$                             7.  $(-\sqrt{3}, -3, -2)$

**8–11** ■ Change from cylindrical to spherical coordinates.

8.  $(\sqrt{2}, \pi/4, 0)$                       9.  $(1, \pi/2, 1)$

10.  $(4, \pi/3, 4)$                           11.  $(12, \pi, 5)$

**12–15** ■ Write the equation in spherical coordinates.

12.  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 16$                       13.  $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 16$

14.  $x + 2y + 3z = 6$                       15.  $x^2 + y^2 = 2z$

**S** Click here for solutions.

**16–17** ■ Sketch the solid whose volume is given by the integral and evaluate the integral.

16.  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\theta \, d\phi$

17.  $\int_0^{\pi/3} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sec \phi} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\theta \, d\phi$

**18–21** ■ Use spherical coordinates.

18. Evaluate  $\iiint_E x e^{(x^2+y^2+z^2)^2} dV$ , where  $E$  is the solid that lies between the spheres  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$  in the first octant.

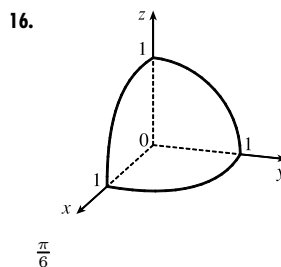
19. Evaluate  $\iiint_E \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} dV$ , where  $E$  is bounded below by the cone  $\phi = \pi/6$  and above by the sphere  $\rho = 2$ .

20. Evaluate  $\iiint_E x^2 dV$ , where  $E$  lies between the spheres  $\rho = 1$  and  $\rho = 3$  and above the cone  $\phi = \pi/4$ .

21. Find the volume of the solid that lies above the cone  $\phi = \pi/3$  and below the sphere  $\rho = 4 \cos \phi$ .

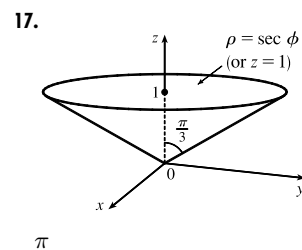
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1.  $(0, \sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2})$
2.  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 2\sqrt{3})$
3.  $(1, 1, \sqrt{2})$
4.  $(3, \pi, \frac{\pi}{2})$
5.  $(2, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4})$
6.  $(2, 0, \frac{\pi}{3})$
7.  $(4, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3})$
8.  $(\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2})$
9.  $(\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{4})$
10.  $(4\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{4})$
11.  $(13, \pi, \cos^{-1}(\frac{5}{13}))$
12.  $\rho = 4$
13.  $\rho^2(1 - 2\cos^2\phi) = 16$
14.  $\rho(\sin\phi\cos\theta + 2\sin\phi\sin\theta + 3\cos\phi) = 6$
15.  $\rho\sin^2\phi = 2\cos\phi$



18.  $\frac{1}{16}\pi(e^{16} - e)$

20.  $121\pi\left(\frac{8-5\sqrt{2}}{30}\right)$



19.  $4\pi(2 - \sqrt{3})$

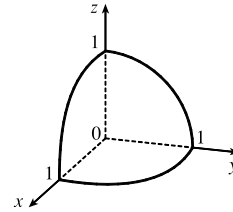
21.  $(0, 0, 2.1)$

## 12.7 SOLUTIONS

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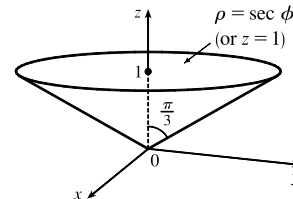
- $x = 2 \sin \frac{3\pi}{4} \cos \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$ ,  $y = 2 \sin \frac{3\pi}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = \sqrt{2}$  and  $z = 2 \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} = -\sqrt{2}$  so the point is  $(0, \sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2})$ .
- $x = 4 \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = 4 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{2}$ ,  
 $y = 4 \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \sqrt{2}$  and  $z = 4 \cos \frac{\pi}{6} = 4 \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = 2\sqrt{3}$   
so the point is  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 2\sqrt{3})$ .
- $x = 2 \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = 1$ ,  $y = 2 \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = 1$  and  $z = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \sqrt{2}$  so the point is  $(1, 1, \sqrt{2})$  in rectangular coordinates.
- $\rho = \sqrt{9+0+0} = 3$ ,  $\cos \phi = \frac{0}{3} = 0$  so  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , and  $\cos \theta = \frac{-3}{3 \sin \frac{\pi}{2}} = -1$  so  $\theta = \pi$ , thus spherical coordinates are  $(3, \pi, \frac{\pi}{2})$ .
- $\rho = \sqrt{1+1+2} = 2$ ,  $\cos \phi = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  so  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , and  $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  so  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , thus in spherical coordinates the point is  $(2, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4})$ .
- $\rho = \sqrt{3+1} = 2$ ,  $\cos \phi = \frac{1}{2}$  so  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{3}$ , and  $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2 \sin \frac{\pi}{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} \cdot 2}{2 \cdot \sqrt{3}} = 1$  so  $\theta = 0$ , thus the point is  $(2, 0, \frac{\pi}{3})$  in spherical coordinates.  
*Note:* It is also apparent that  $\theta = 0$  since the point is in the  $xz$ -plane and  $x > 0$ .
- $\rho = \sqrt{3+9+4} = 4$ ,  $\cos \phi = -\frac{2}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$  so  $\phi = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ , and  $\cos \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4 \sin \frac{5\pi}{6}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3} \cdot 2}{4 \cdot \sqrt{3}} = -\frac{1}{2}$  and  $y = -3$  so  $\theta = \frac{4\pi}{3}$ . Thus in spherical coordinates the point is  $(4, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3})$ .
- $\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{2+0} = \sqrt{2}$ ;  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ ;  
 $z = \rho \cos \phi = \sqrt{2} \cos \phi = 0$  so  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and the point is  $(\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2})$ .
- $\rho = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{1+1} = \sqrt{2}$ ,  $z = 1 = \sqrt{2} \cos \phi$ , so  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and the point is  $(\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{4})$ .
- $\rho = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{4^2 + 4^2} = 4\sqrt{2}$ ;  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ ;  
 $z = 4 = 4\sqrt{2} \cos \phi$  so  $\cos \phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \phi = \frac{\pi}{4}$  and the point is  $(4\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{4})$ .
- $\rho = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{12^2 + 5^2} = 13$ ,  $z = 5 = 13 \cos \phi$ , so  $\phi = \cos^{-1}(\frac{5}{13})$ ,  $\theta = \pi$  and the point is  $(13, \pi, \cos^{-1}(\frac{5}{13}))$ .

- $\rho^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ , so  $\rho^2 = 16$  or  $\rho = 4$ .
- $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2z^2$ , so  $\rho^2 - 2\rho^2 \cos^2 \phi = 16$  or  $\rho^2 (1 - 2 \cos^2 \phi) = 16$ .
- $\rho \sin \phi \cos \theta + 2\rho \sin \phi \sin \theta + 3\rho \cos \phi = 6$  or  $\rho (\sin \phi \cos \theta + 2 \sin \phi \sin \theta + 3 \cos \phi) = 6$ .
- $\rho^2 \sin^2 \phi \cos^2 \theta + \rho^2 \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta = 2\rho \cos \phi$  or  $\rho^2 \sin^2 \phi = 2\rho \cos \phi$  or  $\rho \sin^2 \phi = 2 \cos \phi$ .
- The region of integration is given in spherical coordinates by  $E = \{(\rho, \theta, \phi) \mid 0 \leq \rho \leq 1, 0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \leq \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{2}\}$ . Thus  $E$  is the solid in the first octant bounded by the sphere  $\rho = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  and the three coordinate planes.



$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\theta \, d\phi \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \left[ \frac{1}{3} \rho^3 \sin \phi \right]_{\rho=0}^{\rho=1} d\theta \, d\phi \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{3} \sin \phi \, d\theta \, d\phi = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{3} \sin \phi [\theta]_{\theta=0}^{\theta=\pi/2} d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\pi}{2} \sin \phi \, d\phi = \frac{\pi}{6} [-\cos \phi]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{\pi}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

- The region of integration is given in spherical coordinates by  $E = \{(\rho, \theta, \phi) \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{3}, 0 \leq \rho \leq \sec \phi\}$ . Since  $\rho = \sec \phi$  is equivalent to  $\rho \cos \phi = z = 1$ ,  $E$  is the solid bounded by the cone  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and the plane  $z = 1$ .



$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^{\pi/3} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sec \phi} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\theta \, d\phi \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/3} \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{3} \rho^3 \sin \phi \right]_{\rho=0}^{\rho=\sec \phi} d\theta \, d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \int_0^{\pi/3} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\sin \phi}{\cos^3 \phi} d\theta \, d\phi \\
 &= \frac{2\pi}{3} \int_0^{\pi/3} (\tan \phi \sec^2 \phi) d\phi = \frac{2\pi}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \tan^2 \phi \right]_0^{\pi/3} = \pi
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
18. \iiint_E x e^{(x^2+y^2+z^2)^2} dV &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_1^2 (\rho \sin \phi \cos \theta) e^{\rho^4} (\rho^2 \sin \phi) d\rho d\phi d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos \theta d\theta \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2 \phi d\phi \int_1^2 \rho^3 e^{\rho^4} d\rho \\
&= [\sin \theta]_0^{\pi/2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \phi - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\phi \right]_0^{\pi/2} \left[ \frac{1}{4} e^{\rho^4} \right]_1^2 \\
&= (1) \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \left[ \frac{1}{4} (e^{16} - e) \right] = \frac{1}{16} \pi (e^{16} - e)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
19. \iiint_E \sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2} dV &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/6} \int_0^2 (\rho) \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_0^{\pi/6} \sin \phi d\phi \int_0^2 \rho^3 d\rho \\
&= [\theta]_0^{2\pi} [-\cos \phi]_0^{\pi/6} \left[ \frac{1}{4} \rho^4 \right]_0^2 = (2\pi) \left( 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) (4) \\
&= 8\pi \left( 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) = 4\pi (2 - \sqrt{3})
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
20. \iiint_E x^2 dV &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/4} \int_1^3 \rho^4 \sin^3 \phi \cos^2 \theta d\rho d\phi d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \theta d\theta \left( \int_0^{\pi/4} \sin^3 \phi d\phi \right) \int_1^3 \rho^4 d\rho \\
&= \pi \left[ -\cos \phi + \frac{1}{3} \cos^3 \phi \right]_0^{\pi/4} \left[ \frac{1}{5} \rho^5 \right]_1^3 \\
&= \pi \left( \frac{8-5\sqrt{2}}{12} \right) \left( \frac{242}{5} \right) = 121\pi \left( \frac{8-5\sqrt{2}}{30} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

21. By the symmetry of the problem  $M_{yz} = M_{xz} = 0$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
M_{xy} &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/3} \int_0^{4 \cos \phi} \rho^3 \cos \phi \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/3} \cos \phi \sin \phi (64 \cos^4 \phi) d\phi d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} 64 \left[ -\frac{1}{6} \cos^6 \phi \right]_{\phi=0}^{\phi=\pi/3} d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{21}{2} d\theta = 21\pi
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \bar{z}) = (0, 0, 2.1)$ .